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## Profile

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Johnson

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Duluth

City

MN

State

  
Postal Code

District 2

What district do you live in?

  
Primary Phone

  
Alternate Phone

APEX

Employer

Manager, Member Relations &  
Administration

Job Title

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Which Boards would you like to apply for?

Duluth Public Arts Commission

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## Interests & Experiences

## Why are you interested in serving on a board or commission?

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I am interested in serving on a Board or Commission in order to give back to my community and make it a better place to live and work for its citizens and a more inviting location to visit for guests and tourists. I am particularly interested in using my expertise, knowledge and passion for the performing arts, along with my appreciation of all art forms, to serve the Duluth Public Arts Commission (DPAC). I am extremely excited about the possibility of serving on this Commission and helping to continue the positive momentum and growth of the arts in Duluth. It would be awesome to contribute to the large economic impact the arts have on our economy as indicated in the recent "Creative Minnesota" report. I was so happy to see such a report completed and made public! Beyond the economic impact, the arts help, among other things, to express and preserve our heritage and history, helps brain development in children, improves the quality of life for all and "recruits and retains top talent from across the country" as stated by Mary Mathews, President of the DPAC. I feel passionate about all of these contributions that the arts have on a community and would love to be directly involved in refining, developing and advancing the public art goals outlined in the Municipal Arts Plan, making Duluth an even more vibrant city. A couple of art projects that will most definitely add vibrancy to Duluth are the newly designated Historic Arts and Theater District along with the renovation of the NorShor Theatre. What an honor it would be to help develop and support both of these fantastic projects! As you will see from the Summary of Qualifications section of my resume, I have many years of experience as a professional performer and hold a Bachelor of Arts degree in Dance from the University of Maryland. I believe I am well qualified for the open position on the Duluth Public Arts Commission and would be a great fit. I have choreographed musical theater productions and coordinated movie premieres for Universal Pictures in Los Angeles. Once I had children, I became a strong advocate for the music program at the Lowell Music Magnet Elementary School where they attended. I served as an officer on the Lowell Legato Foundation, coordinated numerous fundraising events and served on the ISD 709's Music Task Force. Additionally, I have served several years on the Denfeld High School Music Booster Committee as well as their Scholarship Committee. Currently, I perform with the Esperanza Chimes Choir at Hope United Methodist Church. In summary, I have been involved and active in the arts just about my entire life. I believe my experience and knowledge would be an asset to the Duluth Public Arts Commission and it would be an honor to use it to serve the City of Duluth! Thank you for your time reviewing my application and I hope to have the opportunity to work with you as a member of the Duluth Public Arts Commission. Sandy Johnson

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## Demographics

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Ethnicity

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Gender

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Date of Birth